

SOUTH KENTUCKIAN.

CHAS. M. MEACHAM, Editor.
HOPKINSVILLE, MAY 1, 1883.

We are authorized to announce Capt. Ralph Shelton, of Nelson county, as a candidate for re-election, as Register of the Land Office, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Election August, 1883.

Mace and Slade, the pugilists, have gone to Europe.

Georgia's new governor will be inaugurated May 12th.

Patti and Nicolini, the actresses, sailed for Europe last week.

Fifteen counties in the State have recommended Cumbergh for Secretary of the Navy.

The Democrats in the Ninth Senatorial district have nominated Hon. W. W. Bush, of Franklin.

Chas. W. Foster, the venerable father of Gov. Foster, of Ohio, died Thursday last, aged 83 years.

Mrs. Langtry's net profits in America, during her 24 weeks' engagement, will foot up \$230,000.00.

Henry D. McDaniel, the Democratic nominee, was elected Governor of Georgia without opposition April 24.

Wiggins' storm was probably delayed a couple of months. After all, he was nearer right than those who laughed at him.

Col. Sam McKee, of Louisville, who was disgraced from practicing in the Federal court for charging an illegal pension fee, has been tried and his disabilities removed.

Messrs. B. M. McGraw and R. Merritt Hall have purchased the Clarksville Democrat from Mr. M. V. Ingram. They are spoken of as capable, enterprising young men.

It is probable that Judge Headley, of Cincinnati, will receive the Democratic nomination for Governor of Ohio. Judge Headley was temporary chairman of the National convention in 1880.

Hon. W. J. Hendrick, of Fleming county, who was a candidate for Speaker of the last Legislature, was defeated in a recent primary election by Hon. R. K. Hart and consequently will not be returned to the next Legislature.

Congressman Jno. D. White, of the Tenth Kentucky District, was married at East Bridgewater, Mass., April 24, to Miss Alice M. Harris, daughter of Ex-Congressman Harris. They have gone to the Pacific slope on a bridal tour.

R. C. Walker, of the Crittenden Press and Capt. Shields, of the Clinton Democrat, each, like Peck's bad boy's pa, have a new baby to help make things interesting at home and they are giving their readers a series of leaders on catnip tea, soothing syrup, etc.

"First blood for Buckner," excitedly exclaimed some of our exchanges when Logan county held a premature convention and instructed for him. Wonder what they will say when the news from Christian reaches them? Knott carried this county without even visiting it.

Jno. DeLong shot and killed Mrs. Eliza Griswold, at Leavittsburg, Ohio, because she would not marry him, and then killed himself. The woman was a middle aged widow and was old enough to have known better than to trifle with the affections of a man.

A destructive cyclone swept over Georgia and Mississippi last week carrying death and desolation in its path. Beauregard and Weason Misses were almost totally destroyed. It is estimated that 200 persons were killed and the loss of property was so great that no estimate has been attempted.

Mr. Knott upon being interrogated in regard to his position on the question of pardons expressed himself as follows:

"It is the duty of the Governor as it is of the Judge on the bench, to administer the law, and to see that no innocent man is punished, and that no guilty man escapes."

Another newspaper man has committed matrimony and been sentenced to a life time of felicity. Mr. Ben F. Briggs, editor of the Mayfield Monitor, was married Thursday April 26th to Miss Marie S. Rives, of Mayfield, Ky. He has hitherto borne a good reputation and this is his first offense. Who will be the next bachelor editor to fall by the wayside? If the epidemic gets much worse we intend to "take to the woods."

If the Danville Tribune will permit us to make a suggestion while it is nominating gubernatorial tickets, we would recommend the following ticket of colored Republicans:

FOR GOVERNOR,
HON. ALLEN ALLENSWORTH,
of Logan.

FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR,
HON. ISAIAH JONES,
of Christian.

Of all the tickets presented not one had a representative of the colored Republicans upon it and as they are an important factor of the "Grand old party" we think they should divide the honors with their white fellow-Republicans. "Let justice be done though the heavens fall," and let the colored brother have some of the color.

SCANDAL AND TRAGEDY.

Hon. Phil B. Thompson, Member of Congress, Kills Walter Davis.

Harrodsburg Junction the Scene of the Crime—The History of the Cause of the Affair.

The most thrilling tragedy that has occurred in Kentucky since the murder of Judge Jno. M. Elliott by Col. Thos. Buford, was enacted at Harrodsburg Junction Friday, the slayer being Congressman Phil. Thompson and the victim Walter P. Davis, a prominent citizen of Harrodsburg. The killing was brought about by an alleged scandal in which Davis and Thompson's wife were the principals. A few years ago Mrs. Thompson was ill, and the doctors ordered stimulants, of which she partook till an appetite formed for intoxicating liquors, and she became addicted to drink to the great grief of the family, persisting in heavy potations despite the efforts and entreaties of her husband and relations.

When Thompson departed for Washington, at the beginning of the last session of Congress, his wife accompanied him to Cincinnati, where he left her, she to return home the same day. She, however, met in Cincinnati Walter Davis, who induced her to remain over night, and, knowing her appetite for it, furnished her with liquor, took her ostensibly to the theater, but at 9 o'clock returned to his room at the hotel, whence in an hour he turned her out heavily drunk into the corridors where she was found by the watchman. The proprietor, Mr. Roth, was about to turn her into the street, but Mr. Roth's wife recognized her, and Mr. Roth and the watchman took the unfortunate woman and left her in care of her aunt, Mrs. Buckner, a Georgia lady, who had accompanied Thompson on the journey from Harrodsburg to Cincinnati. Mrs. Buckner wrote to Mr. Thompson at Washington, after his wife left for home, stating in the letter that Mrs. Thompson had got drunk, but detailing none of the circumstances of Davis' conduct. She also informed Mrs. Thompson what she had told the latter's husband. Mrs. Thompson set out for Washington, where her husband, tired of her intemperance, refused to recognize her further as his wife. He sent her back to the home-stead to live with their son, aged thirteen, and took their daughter, two years older, to school in Washington. He allowed his wife \$500 a year. Tuesday night Mr. Thompson, returning from Washington, reached Cincinnati, where he learned from Mr. Roth and a porter of the hotel the particulars of the affair of the night after he had left. Next morning Mr. Thompson arrived home and probably received other proofs of Davis' guilt from the confession of the guilty woman. At any rate, he shot Davis the first instant after the latter addressed him.

The meeting of the men happened on the train at Harrodsburg Junction about 7:30 o'clock. Thompson, accompanied by John P. Chinn, took the Southwestern railroad train to the Junction. Davis did the same thing, but, seeing Thompson colored with confusion, and entering the baggage car rode in it to the Junction, and staid in it till the Cincinnati Southern train arrived. Chinn and Thompson took the smoking-car, turning over seats near the door, which was soon opened by Davis, who spoke to Thompson. The latter asked: "You son of a—, how dare you speak to me after getting my wife drunk and debauching her?" At the same time he drew a pistol—a self-cocking Smith & Wesson thirty-eight caliber. Davis pulled the door to, ducked his head on the platform, going toward the car steps and reaching for his pistol. Thompson fired at him through the car window. The bullet entering Davis' head above and behind the ear. Davis fell from the platform down the embankment dead.

The train was just starting, but the conductor pulled the cord. Thompson said first to the conductor, "I want to get off and go back to Harrodsburg and give myself up." Then, turning to his friend, Chinn, he remarked with great feeling, "Now I can look my little daughter in the face."

A PATHETIC STATEMENT.
Thompson returned to Harrodsburg on the same train that took the corpse of his victim. The body of Davis was taken home, while Mr. Thompson, after shaking hands with a number of friends, went directly to the Court-house, where Judge Hardin was presiding. As he entered the room he was pale, but calm and collected. There was a great, but silent sensation as he walked down the aisle and into the bar, where he addressed himself to Judge Hardin in the following words:

"My I please your Honor, I know it is not customary under circumstances of this kind for persons situated as I am to make remarks to the court. But I feel that it is just to myself and to the community in which I have lived so long and by which I should have been honored so often, that I should make a brief statement of the facts and circumstances of this unfortunate affair. In November last I was on my way to Washington, and my wife accompanied me to Cincinnati. I left her there in charge of lady friends, expecting her to return on the evening train. My wife was unfortunately addicted to an evil habit, knew. On that evening she met her in Cincinnati, and prevailed on her to remain until next morning. Finding at which hotel she was stopping he registered there under an assumed name and plied her with whisky till she was completely under his influence, when he accompanied her ostensibly to the theatre. They returned to the hotel at 9 o'clock, she in a debilitated condition from drink. She attempted to go to Mrs. Buckner's room, and he insisted upon her going to his room, where she remained with him for more than an hour and where he debauched her, then turned her out in a helpless condition, thus exposing her shame and my dishonor. Afterwards she was taken to Mrs. Buckner's room by the watchman and the proprietor of the hotel in an unconscious, drunken condition. My domestic relations are all broken up; my little daughter, whom I love better than any one on earth, is now exiled from home and friends, an outcast from society, in consequence of Davis' desire to gratify his bestial lust and publish my dishonor to the world. Night after night has my daughter sobbed herself to sleep on my bosom. Not all his blood is worth her tears, and if he had a thousand lives they all could not atone for the broken happiness and household misery he has caused. I throw myself on the justice of my countrymen, and feel that every man who loves his family and his friends, and who has the courage to defend them, will justify me in my course."

This speech was delivered with great calmness, though with evident heart-feeling, which communicated itself to all who heard the words and created a sympathy for the man who uttered them.

Judge Hardin, with emotion in his tone, said: "It is perhaps not proper for me as a Judge to express the sympathy I feel as a man. I shall therefore simply state that I hold Mr. Thompson in \$5,000 bail to answer any indictment."

The bail bond was promptly given, signed by John B. Thompson and T. H. Hardin.

THOMPSON'S WIFE.
Mrs. Thompson, the cause of the killing, is a beautiful woman whose love for liquor brought about her ruin. She was Miss Mollie Garnett and was married to Thompson about sixteen years ago. She has two children, a daughter and a son, as stated above.

THE VICTIM.
The father of Walter P. Davis was the late Col. Robert M. Davis, who came from Tennessee in his boyhood and was adopted by a distant relative, Davis Mosely, who afterwards died and left his valuable estate to Davis. Besides the victim of yesterday's shooting, Col. Davis had four children, viz: Henry H. Davis, of Chicago, formerly a banker at Harrodsburg; Crit Davis, a well-known turfman; and two daughters, now married. Walter Davis, as did all the other heirs of his father, inherited a handsome sum of money and engaged in the grocery business in Harrodsburg. He had just sold out his business with a view to removing to Chicago. He was regarded as an up-right, high-toned, honorable man. His wife was Miss Lavina Herring, step-daughter of ex-Gov. Jas. F. Robinson.

Metcalfe & Bro's Column.
The firm of C. W. METCALFE & BRO., are still in the front. They have sold four car loads of their Old Reliable Reaping Machines, which so gallantly won the victory over all competitors last year. It is an undeniable fact that the Deering is the best reaper made, and it is with its 1883 improvements, at their store. It has fifteen blades, more than any other binder in the market, consequently cut more complicated, and is more durable.

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and is the mother of two children. She fainted in a death-like swoon when the death of her husband was announced to her.

Davis is the third man Phil Thompson has killed. During the trial of a law suit in Harrodsburg in 1873 a shooting affray took place between Theo. H. Daviess and his three sons on one side and Phil B. Thompson, Jr., and three sons on the other. In this affair T. H. Daviess, Sr., T. H. Daviess, Jr., and Larnie Daviess were killed, and two of the Thompsons slightly wounded. The two younger Daviesses were killed by Phil B. Thompson, Jr., one of them after he had emptied his pistol and escaped from the court house in which the shooting took place. Thompson followed him up and shot him in the back as he was running to his office.

These Daviesses were not related to W. P. Davis, who was a distant relative of his slayer.

Thompson is Secretary of the National Democratic Committee, and is one of the most prominent men in the State. The affair is universally regretted, but public sympathy seems to be with Thompson.

Messrs. Knott and Jones met in joint debate at Owensboro, Calhoun and Henderson last week. The *Messenger* says Col. Jones was badly used up in the debate at Owensboro and lost his temper and spoke of Mr. Knott as a demagogue, bluff and clown. Col. Jones stated that he was a college graduate and had traveled over Europe and the way Knott turned this to account was highly entertaining. He said if Col. Jones could not govern his own temper in a friendly debate he was hardly the proper person to govern a great people. Col. Jones replied that he was "in the best humor in the world," but refused to travel with Mr. Knott, and they went to Calhoun in different buggies. At Henderson Knott again got the best of the discussion and there they parted.

Eliza Pinkston, cell. of the Louisville witness whose testimony made Hayes President in 1876, died in jail at Canton Miss., last week where she was serving out a term for larceny.

When the visiting statesmen went to New Orleans, in the winter of 1876 she appeared before them, and told a pitiful tale of how her husband, Henry Pinkston, had been killed in a most brutal manner at his home by political bulldozers, and she herself horribly wounded and left so seriously injured as to be unable to move. She said that she had recovered after a terrible experience. Her case was used by the Republicans to bear out their charge that the Presidential election had been unfairly influenced in Louisiana in favor of the Democratic candidates. She was subsequently called before the bar of the Senate to relate her story, when the question of receiving the returns was under consideration.

Go to your druggist and get a bottle of Haultzsch's Deer Foot Liniment, when you mash your finger Don't take any other. Louis Salmon wholesale agent, Earlinton, Ky.

Homestead Tobacco Grower Testimonials.

Lafayette, Ky., April 3rd, 1883.
Messrs. C. W. METCALFE & BRO.,
GENTS—The "Homestead Tobacco Grower" I bought of you last spring gave me such entire satisfaction that I take pleasure in recommending it to all who make tobacco. I used it on about twenty acres of medium corn land, seventy-five to one hundred lbs. to the acre. The land without the Fertilizer would not have made more than six hundred lbs. per acre, with the use of the Homestead I made at least eight hundred, which is a gain of thirty-three per cent. I think I can safely say that my total gain was fifty per cent. In other words, the amount received for the crop was double what it would have been without the use of the Fertilizer. With my experience I would advise the farmers to cultivate their best lands in grain and what you call your corn land in tobacco, and use "Homestead Tobacco Grower."

Respectfully,
J. G. CHEATHAM.

Hopkinsville, Ky., April 4th, 1883.
Having used the Tobacco Grower for three years, and being called on by C. W. Metcalfe & Bro., to state what I know about it, will say, I like Mr. Cheatham, have used it on my thinnest lands, and with splendid results. I find on this land where Tobacco Grower is used the quality of the Tobacco is greatly superior, and the quantity raised per acre is at least equal to my very best Tobacco ground. I can safely say that the Fertilizer was used on was followed by wheat. I am satisfied I made from one-third to a half more wheat on that ground. To my knowledge there has never been a failure with the Tobacco Grower when used according to directions. It is certainly the thing we need on our thin lands, if we expect to make money by raising Tobacco.

Very Respectfully,
R. H. WILSON.

GARRETSBURG, Ky., Feb. 23, 1883.
Messrs. C. W. METCALFE & BRO.,
GENTS—Having used for three years your Tobacco Grower on land which has been cleared for forty years and in almost constant cultivation, I find that after three years use, that it about doubles the quantity, at least it was equal to that of my best land and the quality much better; on an actual test made with a given number of plants with and without fertilizer there was three fifths more in favor of the Tobacco Grower plants according to our actual strips. My estimate is I make four dollars for every dollar invested in it. I am satisfied my wheat that was raised after the Tobacco was increased fully one third. I wish to say I failed to use it last year and am satisfied I lost at least one hundred and fifty dollars, by neglecting to use it. I now expect to continue its use as I can afford to do without it, and I cheerfully recommend its use to all who raise Tobacco and expect to make money out of it in this section.

Very truly,
W. E. EMBRY.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Jan. 7th, 1883.
Last year I was induced to try the "Homestead Tobacco Grower," and am free to say that I had no idea that its use would make so great a difference in my crops. When it was used the tobacco grew off much more rapidly and produced much heavier and better tobacco. I consider it perfectly reliable, and believe it will pay anyone who has lands that are the least worn to use it.

Respectfully,
SAMUEL G. BUCKNER,
Prop. Main St. Warehouse.

Fairview, Ky., April 7th, 1883.
I have used "Homestead Tobacco Grower" for six years; have never used anything like it for Tobacco. It increases the crop and improves the quality. My Tobacco has taken premiums at all the Fairs. I expect to use it again.

Respectfully,
GEORGE SHAW.

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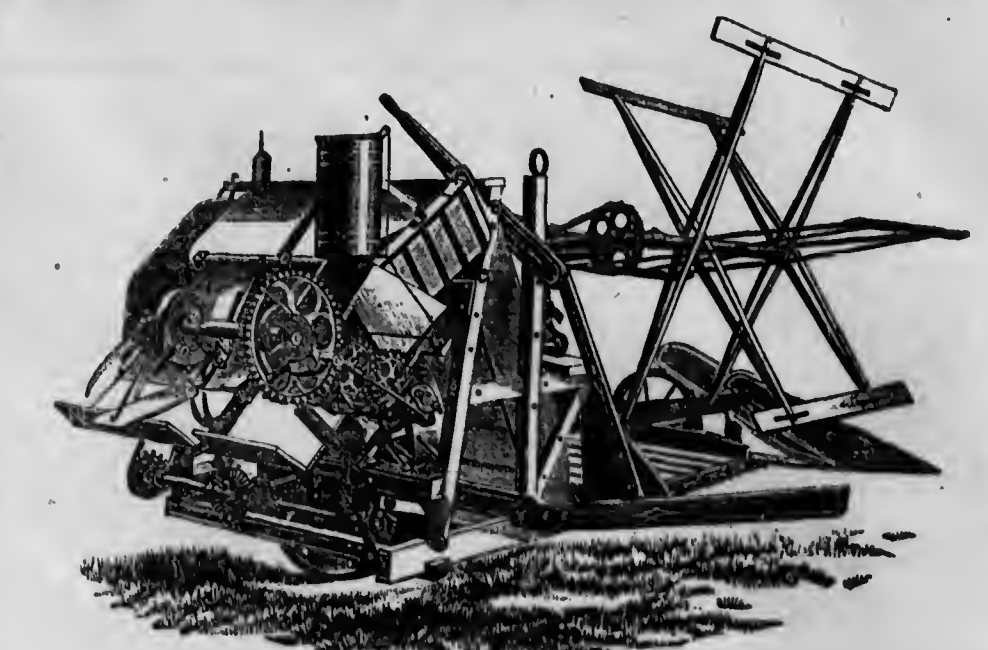
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SOCIALITIES.

Capt. Sam M. Gaines was in the city Saturday.

Mr. R. R. Donaldson returned from a visit to Owensboro Friday.

Miss Nettie Allison, of Madison, Ind., is visiting Mrs. Otho Graves.

Miss Fannie Richardson, of Corleum Springs, was in the city Saturday.

Miss Sallie Lander, of Bellevue, spent last week with Miss Ida Cooper.

James L. Edmondson, of Louisville, is visiting his parents in the city.

Mr. Ben Berry, of New York, formerly of this place, was in the city Saturday.

Mrs. E. C. Roach, of Evansville, was the guest of Mrs. S. G. Buckner, last week.

Capt. W. E. Smith spent all last week in Louisville, on particular business.

Miss Ida Baker, of Bellevue, is a guest of her cousin Miss Edie Payne.

Mrs. R. G. Qualls and Miss Annie Sayage are visiting friends in Todd county.

Miss Mattie Hickman has returned from an extended visit to her sister in St. Louis.

Misses Belle and Julia Robertson are the guests of Mrs. Mary Tandy this week.

Mrs. Wm. Gray, of St. Louis is visiting the family of her father, Dr. L. B. Hickman.

Miss Jennie Harris, of Pembroke, spent several days of last week with friends in the city.

Miss Belle Cooper, of Bennettsburg, was the guest of the family of Mr. L. T. McDaniel last week.

Miss Georgia Wood, of Trenton, Ky., is visiting her brother, Mr. Eugene Wood of this city.

Rev. R. H. Coulter and Judge J. I. Landes attended the Louisville Presbytery at Princeton, last week.

Mr. J. S. Duke, of Allensville, representing Geo. A. Stone's nursery Co., of Rochester, N. Y., is in the city.

Messrs. Henry Hart and Wm. Donaldson, left last Saturday for Cincinnati, to visit friends and relatives.

Sam Mendel, first clerk in the dry goods store of Jno. Mooney, returned from a visit to Louisville on Friday last.

Our young friend Mr. Clarence Gold, of Clarksville, was in the city last week circulating amongst his friends.

Mr. Sam'l O. Graves, formerly of this place, now a resident of Louisville, is visiting relatives and friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Pendleton, of Pembroke, went to Dawson last Saturday. Mrs. Pendleton will remain for two weeks.

Rev. Thos. Bottomly, Rev. E. W. Bottomly and Mr. Jno. N. Mills attended the Methodist Conference at Olmstead last week.

Mr. Y. P. Reynolds, of Paducah, an old citizen of this county in *ante bellum* days was in the city last week and paid us a pleasant call.

Mr. Jake Armstrong has accepted a position with N. B. Edwards & Co's. implement house and has taken the road for the Buckeye Blinder.

Mr. W. H. Rives, of Bennettsburg, left yesterday for Greeley, Col., where he will reside in the future. We regret that our county is to lose so valuable a citizen.

Gen. S. B. Buckner, Col. R. A. Jones, Gen. P. W. Hardin, Capt. Ralph Sheldon, and Col. T. H. Corbett, represented the office seeking brigade in this city last week.

Mr. Lee Bamberger, the clever and popular knight of the yard-stick, who officiates behind the Hart's counter, returned last week from a two weeks' sojourn at Dawson. We are glad to know that his health is much improved.

Messrs. A. D. Rodgers and R. H. Holland, left Sunday for Cincinnati to attend the great dramatic festival. They will be gone all the week and Mr. Rodgers will endeavor to book some first-class attractions for Holland's Opera House next season, while he is in Cincinnati.

Mr. Chan. T. Burbridge has severed his connection with Mr. Isaac Hart's dry goods store and has become a salesman in Capt. Nolan's boot and shoe store. Capt. Nolan could not have engaged a cleverer or more popular young gentleman to assist him in building up his trade.

Trial the Test, Success the Proof.
 Hantzhouser's Cough and Lung Remedy has no equal for coughs, hoarseness, asthma, sore chest, pulmonary and lung troubles. Universal satisfaction. Try it. Louis Salmon, wholesale agent, Lexington, Ky.

HERE AND THERE.

Convention Saturday.

W. F. Patton, Life Insurance.

The fruit has not been killed.

Many front yards are being nicely sodded.

Corn planting is very much behind in some localities.

The O'Neill-McKee trial is set for 9 o'clock this morning.

Palutlag and cleaning is now the order of the day.

The Court of Claims will meet at the Court house, Monday May 21st.

The Public schools will close May 18th, the funds being inadequate to carry them on longer.

The county Supervisors of tax will meet Monday May 14th to rectify the assessor's books for this year. Complainants will be heard that day.

Mr. Ben Harned has built a new cottage on the south side of Nashville street, near South Kentucky College.

This brick work on the Bank of Hopkinsville building is done and the building is rapidly approaching completion.

The members of Co. D. will have a competitive drill at the army to tonight to determine who will wear the company medal to Nashville this month.

The members of the Democratic county committee are requested to meet at the office of the chairman next Saturday at 10 o'clock a. m.

The girls are beginning to blossom out in their new spring gowns. The styles are very gay, most of the figures being large and in some instances enormous.

Mrs. M. E. Rodgers has returned from the East, bringing the most complete line of flowers, ostrich tips, ribbons and in fact everything new and fashionable in the millinery line.

The Kentucky Minstrels gave another of their entertainments at Anderson & Cheaney's hall last Thursday night. The company is composed of colored local talent under the management of Wyatt Edmunds.

No smallpox news to report. There is none in the city and no new cases in the Pembroke and Longview districts. There have been 33 cases in the latter district and 8 deaths, and about half as many in the Pembroke district.

Simon Bolivar Buckner lost the lower prelat which went unsolicited for Lou T. Gaines & Co's. fine old whiskey, cool beer, imported champagne and cigars. If you do not believe he keeps the best of drinks and serves them in better style than any one, ask the boys who attended the convention.

Attention is called to the conspicuous advertisement of Metcalfe & Bro. in another column. They present a number of testimonials in favor of their Tobacco Grower and also show the advantages of the Deering binder, a machine which they claim has fifteen less pieces than any other machine in the market and is therefore simpler and more durable than any other.

The Seventh Circle of Churches of Bethel Association, which circle consists of Mt. Zion, Concord, Sinking Fork, West Mt. Zion, New Barren Spring and New Pleasant Hill will meet with the Sinking Fork church, on the Princeton road, 6 miles from Hopkinsville on Saturday and Sunday 5th and 6th of May, at 10 o'clock a. m. (1st Saturday and Sunday in May.) We earnestly ask that all the churches send a full representation. Rev. J. F. Dagg, Deacon R. R. Donaldson and a number of other speakers will be with us. We expect an interesting and profitable meeting.

J. T. B.
 April 23rd, 1883.

MARRIED.

LEE-WASHINGTON: At the residence of the bride's father, in this city, on Tuesday, April 17, Mr. Wm. H. Lee to Miss Lula Washington.

Mr. Lee is an enterprising young mechanic and has a large number of friends who wish him unbounded happiness in his matrimonial venture.

Examination of Teachers.

Applicants for positions in the Hopkinsville Public Schools, may apply for certificate of qualification before the teachers examination committee, at the school building, May 10th, 11th and 12th, at which time united examination will be had. The election of superintendent and teachers will be held on the 19th of May.

Jos. McCarroll,
 Sec'y. School Board.

DIED.

McGINNIS: At her residence in this city, Thursday April 26th, 1883, after a protracted illness, Mrs. P. A. McGinnis an old lady well advanced in years.

WHITE: At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Armstrong, in this city, Thursday April 26th, 1883, Mrs. Martha A. White aged 69 years.

Mrs. White was a native of Virginia and moved to this State and city some fourteen years ago. For nearly sixty years she had been a member of the Methodist church and was ever in her place in the Sunday school in which she was a teacher for many years. She had charge of the public schools of this city for many years and the pall bearers at her funeral were young men whom she had taught in years gone by. She leaves four daughters, two of whom live in this city.

M. A. L.
 Pembroke, Ky. April 24th 1883.

ALL BUT FOUR.

It Seems That Knott has Carried The County.

The Primaries Saturday Instruct For

Knott, Allen, Hardin, Sheldon, Edgar, Hewitt and Tate.

The full returns from the precinct caucuses in Christian county last Saturday have not been received, but enough is known to show how the county has gone. In the Register's race Sheldon is ahead, but it may be that Corbett will beat him when all the returns are in. In the other races there is but little doubt that the county has given a majority to the candidates named above. The delegates appointed will assemble here next Saturday and carry out their instructions. The delegates must bear in mind that their credentials must be signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the convention appointing them or they will not be admitted to the county convention in the event of a contest.

THE RESULT.

Hopkinsville No. 1, 4.—Knott, Allen, Hardin, Hewitt, Tate, Sheldon and Edgar.

Hopkinsville No. 2, 6.—Knott, Allen, Hardin, Hewitt, Tate, Corbett and Edgar.

Pembroke, 3.—Knott, Allen, Hardin, Hewitt, Tate, Corbett and Edgar.

Longview, 3.—Buckner, Allen, Hardin, Hewitt, Tate, Sheldon and Smith.

Union School House No. 1, 1.—Knott, A. B. Smith, Hardin, Hewitt, Tate, Corbett and Edgar.

Crofton, 1.—Jones, Allen, R. A. Jones, Hewitt, Tate, Corbett and Edgar.

Hambly, 1.—Jones, Allen, Hardin, Hewitt, Tate, Sheldon and Pickett.

Lafayette No. 1, 2.—Knott, Allen, Jones, Tate, Hewitt, Sheldon and Edgar.

Lafayette No. 2.—Knott, Allen, Jones, Tate, Hewitt, Corbett and Edgar.

Union School House No. 2.—Knott, Allen, Hardin, Tate, Hewitt, Sheldon and Edgar.

Candy, 2.—Knott, Allen, Jones, Tate, Hewitt, Sheldon and Edgar.

Garrettsburg, 2.—Knott and Sheldon. No other returns.

Bainbridge, 2.—Knott, Allen, Hardin, Tate, Hewitt, Corbett and Edgar.

Mount Vernon, 1.—Knott and Allen. No other returns.

Barker's Mill, 1.—Buckner. No other returns.

Fairview No. 1, 2.—Knott. No other returns.

Fairview No. 2, 1.—Knott. No other returns.

Bellevue held no convention and Fruit Hill, Seaton's Mill, Wilson's and Stuart's have not been heard from up to this writing, (Monday noon.)

SUMMED UP.

Necessary to a choice 21.

Governor—Knott, 30; Buckner, 4; Jones, 2.

Lieut. Governor—Allen, 29; Smith, 8.

Auditor—Hewitt, 29.

Treasurer—Tate, 29.

Register—Corbett, 15; Sheldon, 16; Supt. Pub. Instruction—Edgar, 25; Smith, 3; Pickett, 1.

Crushed to Death.

A colored woman named Lou Dulin, wife of Grundy Dulin, a prominent colored man, was run over, and killed by the engine of freight train No. 61 last Tuesday at 7:30 o'clock, near Ellis' mill in this city. The engineer Alonzo Crawford was switching his engine to attach it to the regular south bound train and in doing so backed over the woman, who was on the track. The engine was moving very slowly and it is not known how the woman allowed it to run over her. The first intimation the engineer had was the scream of a child in front of the woman's cabin and when he stopped, which he did as soon as possible, she was just in the act of rolling out from under the pilot, having been dragged some distance under the engine. She was not dead but lived only a few minutes.

Crawford has been on the road for ten years and this is his first accident, and he regrets it very much, though it was plainly not his fault.

For The South Kentuckian.

IN MEMORIAM.

DIED, Near Murray, Calloway County, Ky., on Wednesday morning, March 28, 1883, in the 45th year of her age, Mrs. Sarah C. McReynolds daughter of Crawford and Milley Williams. She was united in marriage by Rev. W. W. Trimble, of the M. E. Church, Oct. 8, 1856, to Jas. H. McReynolds, her now bereaved husband. She gave promise of a long and useful life. She professed religion, Oct. 1855 and was baptized by Rev. J. M. Bennett and joined Bethel church in which she lived a consistent member until she moved to Calloway. She then joined the Baptist church at Murray. She was sick about four months: when death came she said she was ready to go to meet her Savior. She requested her children and her husband to meet her in Heaven where they would part no more. She leaves a fond husband and six children besides a mother, one sister and one brother to mourn their loss, but they should dry their tears and remember that their loss is her eternal gain.

M. A. L.
 Pembroke, Ky. April 24th 1883.

AFTER THE BATTLE.

Pembroke did her duty nobly.

The convention in No. 2 was "Knotty but nice."

The vote at Pembroke stood 28 for Knott and 24 for Buckner.

Longview's vote stood 35 for Buckner and 33 for Knott.

The "rebel yell" was raised for Buckner, but all to no avail.

The victors are wearing their watch chains with knots tied in them.

It was raining, but it didn't cast any damper over the ardor of the Knott men.

Col. Sybert was a wheel horse for Jones, but he could not pull his favorite through.

We are sorry we cannot give full returns, but some of the districts failed to send in reports yesterday.

Mr. Knott carried the county over all opponents without even visiting it. His friends made his cause their own and did valiant work.

Hopkinsville No. 1 voted in the court house. Esq. B. E. Randolph was made Chairman and Joe McCarrill Secretary. Knott swept the convention two to one over all combined. About 60 voters were present.

In Hopkinsville No. 1, Dr. Deans made the speech of the day. He was for Knott and after Knott and Buckner had been nominated a pause followed when he arose and said: "Mr. Chairman, I nominate Mr. Jones, Mr. Owsley and Mr. Jacobs. Now let's get to business."

Hopkinsville No. 2 was organized in Buckner & Woodbridge's warehouse, with T. J. Morrow as Chairman and Chas. M. Meacham Secretary. About 150 voters were present and the convention was red hot. There were 19 Jones men. On the second count the vote stood Knott 89, Buckner 58. The meeting closed harmoniously.

At one time "votes were votes" in No. 2, and a good joke is told on one of the candidates. A saloon man wanted to go to the convention, but couldn't leave his saloon and the candidate kept bar for him while he went and put in his vote. When the proprietor returned he said to him, "I have done many things to get votes in this canvass, but I never run a saloon before."

Sheldon's prospects continue to grow brighter as the returns come in, and the latest indications are that he has carried the county. The vote between him and Corbett stands 16 to 15 with Barker's Mill, Fairview No. 1 and No. 2, Fruit Hill, Seaton's Mill, Wilson's and Stuart's to hear from. It is thought the first three precincts with four votes have gone for Sheldon which will give him the county, as some of the remaining districts did not hold conventions.

Resolutions of Respect.

At a regular meeting of Church Hill Grange, No. 109, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, on the 5th of April, 1883, Bro. S. C. Young.

This is the third time since our organization as a Grange that death has entered our circle and taken from us one of our most earnest and valuable members. Though gentle and unobtrusive in manner, few have left a sweeter memory or a richer legacy, to truth, honor and virtue.

Resolved, That we deeply sympathize with his friends and relatives in their great bereavement, reminding them that our loss is his gain.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Grange and that a copy be sent to the county papers for publication.

R. H. McGarony,
 R. N. France,
 M. B. Kiso.

The Usual Result.

It is not to be denied that a good sewing machine is one of the most important appurtenances of a modern household. We thought we had a good machine until one day the agent of the New Home presented himself at our door and proceeded to deliver an oration upon its characteristic merits. But, we answered, our machine suits us well and we do not care for another.

The agent, however, begged the privilege of leaving one of his machines with us, for the ladies to try. The request was not unreasonable, so we granted it—but more to oblige the agent than anything else; for we really did not want the machine, and had not the remotest idea of buying it. The machine once in the house, it was natural that the ladies should look it over; they did so, and as a consequence fell in love with it. They said that without the slightest wish to deary or disparage any other machine, this, all things considered, is in their opinion the most desirable one to be had. This unrivaled machine is manufactured by the New Home Sewing Machine Co., 30 Union Square, New York, who wish us to say that all who wish to see their new illustrated catalogue and enclose their advertisement (printed on another page), will receive a set of fancy advertising novelties, of value to those collecting cards.—Ex.

Use Hantzhouser's pills in connection with his cough syrup, as it is necessary to use. It is a purgative, and you will use no other after trying it. Use in coughs, colds, etc. Louis Salmon, wholesale agent Lexington, Ky.

If Catarrh has destroyed your sense of smelling and hearing, Hantzhouser's Catarrh cure will cure you. 75 cents per bottle. Druggist sell it.

TOBACCO NEWS.

Sales by J. C. & J. K. Gant, this week of 145 hds. as follows:

32 hds. good leaf, from \$7.00 to \$8.65.

41 hds. medium leaf, from \$6.00 to \$7.00.

40 hds. common leaf, from \$5.25 to \$6.00.

42 hds. lugs, from \$3.25 to \$5.50.

Market dull and lower on all grades.

Sales by Buckner & Woodbridge, April 25 and 26, of 110 hds. as follows:

27 hds. medium to good leaf, \$7.00 to \$8.00.

38 hds. common and medium mixed, \$5.80 to \$7.75.

24 hds. good lugs, 4 50 to 5 75.

21 hds. common and trashy lugs, 3 65 to 4 25.

Receipts continue liberal and market firm at last week's prices.

Graves & Hancock sold April 25th and 26th 60 hds. as follows:

24 hds. common to good lugs from \$3.50 to 5 50.

45 hds. common to fine leaf, from \$6.00 to 12 00.

The hhd. sold at \$12 was a red wrapper grown by Mr. Joe Boyd of Lafayette and bought by M. H. Clarke & Bro. This is by far the highest price of the season. No notable change in the market.

Sales by Jessup & Nelson April 25 1883, 58 hds. as follows:

33 hds. leaf, \$9.00 to 5 50.

20 hds. lugs, \$5.50 to 3 80.

Market dull and irregular, and somewhat lower on all grades.

Sales by Abranthy & Co. April 25 of 87 hds. as follows:

25 hds. medium to good leaf, from \$8.50 to 7 00.

37 hds. common and low leaf from \$5.50 to 5 00.

25 hds. lugs, from \$5.00 to 3 75.

Prices were well maintained under heavy offerings.

MACEDONIA.

Tradewater river is on a high.

Our farmers have begun planting corn, the work however is being deterred by the late heavy rains.

White & Murphy of this place are working about twelve hands in the bark business near Crofton; they will commence shipping in a few days.

Mr. James Boyd, of Bainbridge, was down in this beat in quest of milk cows a few days ago.

Mr. Simon Kuykendal, of this vicinity, says he has eight acres of corn large enough to plow and has ten acres more coming up.

Wheat is growing finely and if nothing befalls it in the future the chance is good for a much better yield than was anticipated a few weeks ago.

Mr. John H. Brown an enterprising young farmer of Sandlick, called and subscribed for the South Kentuckian last Saturday. John is a first class fellow and likes to read a first class paper and buys his goods at a first class market. We think he will be compelled in self-defence to make frequent visits to Macedonia, and renew his subscription to the South Kentuckian when out.

A small party of our boys went to Tradewater fishing a few evenings ago and narrowly escaped being destroyed by a panther. They did not take time to take in the size of the monster but being accustomed to its cries knew the scream to be that of a panther; they had a long way to run and would have been overtaken had it not been that the alleged panther turned out to be a lady calling cows.

ROUGH AND READY.

Advertised Letters.

Which, if not called for in thirty days, will be sent to Washington, D. C.:

Baker, Miss Maudie Layno, Mrs. J. R. Lane, John K. Mowdell, Mrs. H. T. Monaghan, Robt. McCombs, Wm. Moore, Mrs. L. F. McCombs, Frank Smith, Miss Emma C. R. White, N. P.

When called for please say "advertised." Jno. B. Owen, P. O. Box 10, Hopkinsville, Ky. or C. R. May 1st 1883.

The State of Kentucky has expended on the Neal, Craft and Ellis cases the following amounts: January 10, 1882, \$10,483; October 30, 1882, \$5,003 80; February 5 to February 24, 1883, \$29,478 93; total, \$44,965 84. Judge Lynch settled the case of Ellis: he will be exonerated to the State. As to Neal and Craft there may be large additional outlays. Craft's case is before the Court of Appeals. What that Court will do with it is beyond human ken. Neal is to have another trial in the lower court, and we suppose the militia will be called out again.—Covington Commonwealth.

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